

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants

Lawrence O'Gorman et al.

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ENCLOSURE AND BIOMETRIC DATA COLLECTION FOR

FINGERPRINT SENSOR DEVICE

Examiner

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated July 12, 2004, please extend the period of time for response three months, to expire on January 12, 2005. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.